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**PATENT APPLICATION**

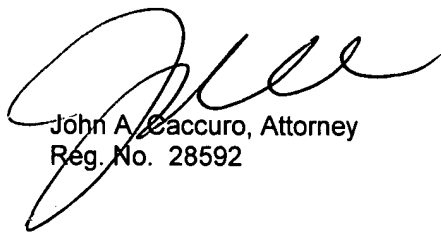
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Case 68  
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Filing Date Jan. 5, 2001  
Examiner Kang, Juliana K.  
Title BROADBAND OPTICAL SWITCHING  
ARRANGEMENTS WITH VERY LOW CROSSTALK

**Dear Person:**

Enclosed is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

**No additional fee is required.**

Respectfully,

  
John A. Caccuro, Attorney  
Reg. No. 28592

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SIR:

**AMENDMENT**

This amendment is in response to the Office action of April 16, 2004.

In response to the Office action, please amend the specification of the above-identified application as follows: